CLEVER THIEVES PREY ON WOMEN

Twenty-one Shoppers Fall Victin to a Pair of Female Pickpockets.

ONLY ONE OF THOSE BOBBED ABLE TO DESCRIBE "DIPS"

Twenty-five Detectives Detailed to Search for the "Moll Bussers."

Two women plokpockets, ostensibly from out of town, descended suddenly on the National Capital yesterday and found rich pickings in the fat purses of the holistay throngs. Operating in department and s-andibe-ent atores and on afrect cars, they robbed (wenty-one women shoppers, setting about 1800 in cash, lewelry, and other property during the day. Escaping detection with the skill of professional 'moll bursers,' as they are known in police purlance, and operating octiverally that they were seen by only one of their victims. the female pickpockets 'worked' so rapidly that the plaints of their victims reached police headquarter at intervals of a few uniture, creat-

order of Mal, Sphester, twenty-five views were sent out from the Central e by Inspector Boardman, chief of titven and a short time after the victim told of her less at the nimite is of the women thieves, keen-seld in civilian clothes were in all of the stores valuly seeking a clew to the of clever toleves.

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Stylishty Dressed. The only information gained by the electives was evidence that practically it of the thefts were committed by two unen. "working" together, and that mee two women are young, not more incoming the second of stylish eventures, with small black its and of rather pleasing appearance, the arms of the pickpichets were ven by Miso Nannie Nichole, of lift seathy worder of the pickpichets, who are nothed of a purse containing \$4, he Nichole boarded a car at Eleventh of \$5 Streets for home aboutly before account in the attention \$1 the was steed as rather) by two young witness it she watched them.

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Lingherah calls attention to the fact that Representative Paje of Louisians chairman of the House Committee or himself, and his resolution supplies to Pajd as well as other members of the committee. Leadbergh says Pajs should be committeed.

WOMAN STRICKEN WHILE SHOPPING

Widow of Confederate General Found by Daughter in Hospital Morgue.

Hospital Morgue.

Stricken with apoplexy while purchase Christmas gifts in a department over Mrs. Pauline Eugenie Moffette, venty-four years old, daughter of an i. French family and widow of the se Col. Hinnier P. Moffette, Confedere afficer and well-known eithern of abvilles. Tettin, died yesterday afterson at Emireputer Hospital fra, Moffette was in exceptional healthers to be a second of the second of

night came and Mrs. Moffette of returned home, her daughter corried and began phoning to hos-A physician at Emergency Hos-nformed Mrs. Taber that an aged whose identity had not been was a patient there. With her d Mrs. aber went to the hos-AMERICANS PRAISTD FOR

CRUSADE AGAINST WOMEN SMOKERS.



Minnesota Member Says Men Who Are Bankers Should Not Probe the Money Trust.

TO WAR ON BAILROADS. New Englanders Plan to Invade Large picture, Miss Boris Haywood;

Charging that the men in Congress who are in charge of currency reform legislation are nearly all personally and infinantially interested is some form of hanking business, Representative Lindshiegh of Minnesota, Progressive Repub-lican, yesterday introduced a joint reser-Lower insert, Mrs. L. Z. Leiter.

CLAPP OFFERS DRASTIC BILL

ould Would Limit Use of Campaign Funds in Presidential and Other Elections.

PART IN RELIEF WORK "TROUSERS," CRY OF SUFFRAGISTS, TO BE relief work being carried on in ECHOED AROUND WORLD

cans has resulted in many expressions of thanks and appreciation upon the part of the Turkish press, according to a letter received yeasterday by Miss Mable Boardman, of the American Na-

INTERESTING COURT GOSSIP FROM ACROSS THE ATLANTIC

(Correct) int is court disain systicate.)
The remarkable success of the troops of King Feter of Servia in the field against the Turks and, the temerity with which this ex-actiolar and fencing master of Genera is presecuting his thirst for revenge upon the venerable Emperor Franz Josef, who declined to receive "that spetart" when the Servian ruler visited Vienna, by insisting upon being given a port in the Adriatic as his spoil at the expected dismemberment of Turkey, recalls the many vicinations and tragedies through which that volcanic little country was fated to pass in the past forty year.

Contemporary historians have recorded that Natalle Ketachko, the daughter of a colonel in the Russian army, a man of good librage and of great wealth, who became the wife of the dashing Prince later King Milan I of Servia, was by farind away the most beautiful woman of her day. It was Caar Nicholas I who when first he beheld her graceful and charming figure, exclaimed: "I would lawer a heggar, that I might sak your alms and in return might have the happiness of kissing your hand."

It was a case of much principles of continental Hotel.

It was on the Hivera that Prince Milan first set eyes on his future wife. Coupled with her heavity was a high, proud spirit and ambition. A gipsy woman had told her that she was destined to wear a crown-a royal diadem, and filled with superstition of all Slavonic-races, that prophecy had been taken for granted. Trie, she was madly in how with the dashing, "feeth" Milan, but had been taken for granted. Trie, she was madly in how with the dashing, "feeth" Milan, but had been to be a superstance of the same of the same ween in a position to offer her a crown. But she puid dearly for her fully. She was a generous, impulsive girl of sixteen. Had she waited another year she might have learned what all the world knew, that her adored Milan-him self but a youth of twenty-one-was a gembler, a spendirrift, and so have of any moral sense that his atmorials that trigues were carried in with high and the findulged in shoot every form of dissipation. Soon Natalle was fated to dispute on the self-was a spendirrift was fated to dispute on the self-was a spendirrift, and so bare of the self-was a spendirrift, and so have of any moral sense that his atmorials that the court included. It indulged in shoot every form of dissipation. Soon Natalle was fated to dis-

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he drew his last breath at Vlenna at the age of forty-six.

As for Natalia, who sill wanders about Europe seeking for the happiness which can never be bers, this crowning calemity of her son's marriage did more than all her past sufferings to crush her proud spirit, And then came that awful night when her beloved "Sachasa" mutilated body was fung by his amusains out of the palace window, to be greeted with shouts of deristre laughter.

Is there a more polguant family tragedy in the modern history of Edrope' FLANEUR.

ATTEND SMOKER

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alme and in return might have the happiness of kissing your hand.

It was a case of mutual adoration between Milan and the handsome Russian girl, and though warned not to wed her hecanes has be oved to rule as much as he did, that it would be a case of dismond out diamond as to temperament and that she would ultimately over shadow him, the fond prince gave no heed and in October. 18%, they were united at Vienna, where society held high holiday for the nuptuals.

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